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In war a nation is compelled to do much that it ought to do in time of peace but does not.

SOCIETY and up to date business and manufacturing institutions are striving to become more efficient by removing all partitions.

In the realm of shades Wilhelm, meeting Napoleon, Alexander and Caesar and responding to their "We told you so!" will reply, "Yes, you were right—it cannot be done."

There is a coal shortage so why should careless firemen waste fuel by filling the air with soot! Soot is a sign of the fireman's incompetence or of a badly designed furnace, or both.

By playing the hog in its peace talk with the Russian radicals Germany is conferring a great favor upon democracy. This is the point where German cupidity was bound to outlast German deviousness.

GERMANY pinned its faith on the 42 centimeter gun and the gun failed. Its hope to win victory from the submarine blew up. Its expectations of poison gas came short. Then along came the bolshevik and Germany felt immensely relieved. But even the bolshevik is not as foolish as he looks.

Let Roark supply your piano wants, for he has qualities and prices and a factory guarantee which is not limited by time.

Hear the Orpheus quartet sing "Carry Me Back to Old Virginny" on the Victrola at Roark's. Dozens of these records have been sold, every talking machine owner prizing it very highly.

Prof. F. J. Bowld and bride, who was Miss Ella Lee Cox, of Owensboro, are at home with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Baird, and are most welcome members of our local social and educational circles. They were married during the holidays.

God Save Them.

God save the divers kings from whom the anthem rings, from loyal thralls; may they with wisdom choose all policies they use, and may they never lose their royal goats. God save all kings and queens, princes and horse marines, whose hearts are right; let us not choose and pick! God save the lowly bick, digging where bombs are thick there in the fight. God save the nameless wight, burned at dead of night, on foreign shore, buried in crimson mud, while like a ceaseless flood waveslets of human blood flow evermore. God save our noble boys, going where war destroys bodies of men; guard them by night and day, send them from far away, when ended is the fray, safe home again. God save the widows all widows in hut and hall, mothers and brides! Waiting for James or John, who's forever gone; and the red stream flows on, in sobbing tides. God save the little lads robbed of their loving dads, children who weep; kids at their mothers' knees, saying, "Where's daddy, please?" Lined up with such as these, monarchs are cheap.

WALT MASON.

Roark has many useful things of little cost, which are so much better than costly things of little use.

Feed the birds. These are trying times on our cheering, protecting friends.

Teamsters are charging extra prices now, but there is no pleasure and less profit in the service.

Prohibition To Help Win War.

The Manufacturers Record, published at Baltimore, Md., and one of the greatest journals of the South and which has done most for the industrial development of this part of our nation, has been a pioneer advocate of the adoption of national prohibition of whiskey, beer and like products to aid in winning the war, recently sent out inquiries to hundreds of coal operators, and the following responses were made by the operators in this county. They ring true and are in line with the opinion of these important factors in our affairs from all parts of the country, north and south:

Would Be the Greatest Step Towards Victory.

Black Diamond Coal & Mining Co., Whitesboro, Ky., Dec. 11, 1917. Editor Manufacturers Record:

As we believe that drink causes great loss in the production of all coals, the prohibition of making and selling would be the greatest step yet to help win this war.

W. W. Bridges, President.

Glad to Testify to Good Effects of Prohibition.

W. G. Duncan Coal Co., Greenville, Ky., Dec. 8, 1917. Editor Manufacturers Record:

Answering yours of December 4, will say that this has always been a very interesting proposition to us, and we can truthfully say that the unrestricted sale of liquor of any kind is a great detriment to public work, and without doubt its prohibition would add greatly to the efficiency of the labor of our country. This is especially true in and about coal mines, and while we are under local option now, and are not affected to any considerable extent, we are always willing to add our testimony to the good results of prohibition to the labor of the country.

C. W. Taylor, Vice-President and Manager.

Would Largely Increase Coal Output.

Greenville Coal Co., Greenville, Ky. December 12, 1917. Editor Manufacturers Record:

We have your letter of the 4th, making inquiries as to our views on complete prohibition in the United States. We also have your slip addressed to President Wilson and the nation, headed, "One Great Aid to Winning the War."

We agree very heartily with every word and every argument uttered in your editorial. We believe that it will be one of the greatest aids to a successful winning of the war that can take place in the United States.

We know from our own experience and we are operating three mines, that it will largely increase the efficiency of our men and the output of our mines, and will be a great economic advantage and saving to our employes. The same thing that affects our men in our mines affects all men in all mines throughout the country. The use and sale of whiskey practically cause four days' loss every month, both in running time and in production, at all mines throughout the country, and in addition to this there are numerous days and occasions when the men lay off and will not work provided they can get the booze.

The J. L. Roark Estate.

Pure Bred Hogs Introduced.

Thursday, January 10th, is an epoch making event in the history of Muhlenberg County, since it marks the introduction of pure-bred livestock into the County. On that date 5 boys of the county will each receive a registered Duroc-Jersey gilt which is already bred and is of the very best stock afforded by Kentucky. It is epoch making not that it is the first introduction of pure-bred livestock, but that it is the first introduction of its kind, and because of the superiority of the stock introduced.

The Farmers State Bank is financing the proposition to the Pig Club Boys in the County at the very low rate of 4 per cent interest. This gives the boys a chance to increase the hog production of the County at the present time, a chance to improve the stock of hogs in the County, and an opportunity to make some money for themselves, as well as to learn something about the hog business. This is only the beginning of a series of introductions which it is hoped will ultimately result in the elimination of the Scrub from the County and the substitution of the pure-bred hog, which means greater profits from hog raising. For further information see the County Agent.

Evan C. Graddy.

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ORCHARD GLEANINGS

PROTECT YOUNG TREES

Mice and rabbits like tree bark as well as children like candy, and it requires watchfulness to save young trees from being girdled by these little pests.

The rodents are kept away by wrapping trees with wire netting, or even tared building paper; but paper is not so sure protection from mice. A six-inch mound of earth well packed around the base of the tree will help to turn away mice, and if the snow also is tramped down around the trees the mice will not be so likely to get at them, because they work under the surface as a rule.

PRUNE AND SPRAY ORCHARDS

Neglected Fruit Trees About Most Unprofitable Thing on Farm—Test at Missouri College.

Does orchard pruning and spraying pay? The answer is found in the results of co-operative experiments conducted by the College of Agriculture in 40 Missouri orchards. These experiments extended over a period of three years. They show first, that a neglected orchard is about the most unprofitable thing on the farm; second, that the best managed orchards in Missouri are producing more profit per acre than any other farm crop.

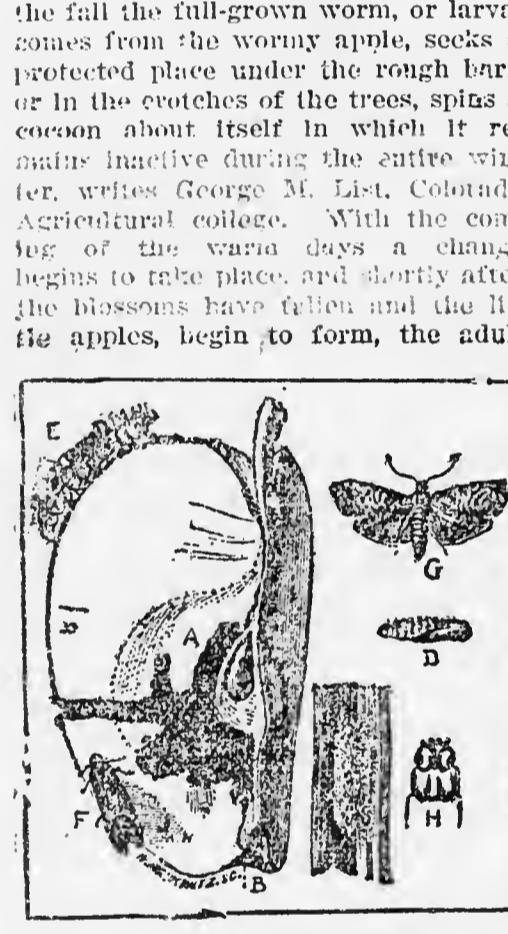
The average returns per acre of these 40 orchards during the last three years has been as follows: Properly pruned and sprayed areas, total received, \$176 per acre; net profit, \$143 per acre. Untreated areas, total received, \$18 per acre; net profit, nothing.

In order to obtain records of the results part of each orchard was allowed to remain in its previous condition—not pruned and not sprayed. The experiments, in view of the results obtained, show conclusively the advantages of renovation.

WAY TO KILL CODLING MOTH

Effective Method of Eradication Is to Scrape Larvae From Branches During Winter.

All fruit growers that have watched the codling moth at all know that in the fall the full-grown worm, or larva, comes from the wormy apple, seeks a protected place under the rough bark or in the crevices of the trees, spins a cocoon about itself in which it remains inactive during the entire winter, writes George M. List, Colorado Agricultural college. With the coming of the warm days in spring, the blossoms have fallen and the little apples begin to form, the adult



Codling Moth—*a*, Wormy Apple; *b*, Entrance at Calyx; *c*, Pupa; *d*, Head of Worm; *e*, Head of Worm; *f*, Moth; *g*, Head of Worm.

moth emerges from the cocoon to begin laying its eggs about the little fruits.

Each female lays on the average from 40 to 50 eggs, so if only a few of these chrysalises or hibernating larvae are destroyed the number of eggs to be deposited will be greatly reduced. A large per cent of the wintering larvae can be destroyed by scraping all round bark from the trees, especially in and about the canopies of the trees. If the scraping is done during the winter the larvae not killed in the process will be destroyed by the exposure and the birds.

The sooner fruit growers come to realize that this method of fighting this pest is almost as important as thorough spraying, the sooner will they begin to grow a larger per cent of worm-free fruit.

TO RESTRAIN APPLE CANKER

Most Important Orchard Enemy Still Is Widespread Enemy—Continuous Attention Needed.

Correspondence with apple growers and inspection of orchards by the University of Nebraska indicate that blister canker is still a widespread and most important apple enemy. Apple scab and blight are readily controlled by proper spraying. Canker, however, requires continuous attention if it is to be held in control.

Owners of infected orchards should write to the experiment stations of their states for further information as to the best methods of control.



Roark's Greenhouse, Ky.

THE KITCHEN CABINET

People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.—Goldsmith.

SEASONABLE DISHES.

Variety is the aim of most cooks, together with economy and palatability; we have three very important points to consider. The following dishes may prove suggestive:

Flaked Fish and Vegetable Hash.—Take equal parts of cold boiled potatoes, beets, carrots and turnips finely chopped. Season to taste with paprika, celery salt and a quarter of a cupful of cream, season with a teaspoonful of Worcester sauce and turn into a heated frying pan which has been greased with a tablespoonful of bacon fat. Stir the hash rapidly until well heated, roll and let brown, turn on to a hot platter and an omelet.

Eggs Scrambled With Dried Beef.—Cover six slices of dried beef with boiling water, let stand ten minutes, and drain; if not too salty this is not necessary; shred in small pieces. Beat two eggs slightly, add three tablespoonsfuls of milk, and the beef. Melt two tablespoonsfuls of butter in a saucepan, add the egg mixture and stir until of a creamy consistency.

Baked Rice With Cheese.—Put a cupful of rice into a quart of boiling water with $1\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoonsfuls of salt, cook for an hour or until soft. Melt three tablespoonsfuls of butter, add three of flour, and when smooth add two cupfuls of hot milk; cook until smooth and thick, then add one cupful of finely cut cheese and mix lightly with the rice. Put into a buttered baking dish and cover with buttered crumblies. Brown and serve piping hot.

Pear Salad.—Place halves of canned pears on head lettuce served with the following: Two tablespoonsfuls of olive oil, one teaspoonful of vinegar, salt, pepper and a bit of French mustard to taste. Roquefort cheese may be added, a tablespoonful or two mixed with the dressing, and the pears may be cut in strips and served on crisp watercress.

Well-Fed Hereford.—Treatment is continued for a long time the animal may become permanently stunted.

Stunting an animal as the result of insufficient food may be only a temporary condition. An animal does not lose its capacity to grow as the result of stunting. F. B. Mumford, dean of the Missouri College of Agriculture, cites a feeding test at the Missouri experiment station in which an animal that had been stunted by feeding to such an extent that it weighed only 200 pounds at twelve months of age gained 841 pounds during the second year. Only 5.6 pounds of grain for each pound of gain made were required on this steer stunted during the first twelve months. A steer that had been generally fed during the first twelve months of his life gained only 500 pounds during the second twelve months, and this gain was more expensive than the gain made on the stunted steer. The amount of grain required to make a pound of gain on the well-fed steer was 9.8 pounds.

It is certain that stunting an animal even for so long a period as twelve months does not destroy its capacity to grow.

GAINS MADE FEEDING LAMBS.—Result of Test at South Dakota Station to Determine Value of Alfalfa and Prairie Hay.

The best gains ever secured at the South Dakota experiment station in feeding lambs was in an experiment to determine the comparative value of alfalfa and prairie hay with the same kind of a grain ration.

The grain ration consisted of a mixture of 100 pounds of oats, 100 pounds of shelled corn and 25 pounds of oil meal.

Each lot was started on one pound per head of the mixture daily, and increased until they were receiving two and one-tenths pounds per head of grain daily, and what hay they would eat.

The average daily gain per head for the lot that received the alfalfa was .51 of a pound, while with the lot that received the prairie hay, the average daily gain per head was .38 of a pound.

DAILY EXERCISE FOR STOCK.

Horses and Mules Should Be Given Run for an Hour or So in Lot Adjoining Stables.

Horses and mules should have good daily carding and regular exercise. If there is nothing for them to do, remove their shoes and give them a run for an hour or so in a well-fenced lot adjoining the stables.

The best and safest fence for pasture is of stout woven wire, roll or a combination board and smooth wire. Barbed wire should not be used, as it is dangerous.

Chocolate and Checkerberry Pudding.—Heat a pint of milk with a square of grated chocolate; mix half a cupful of sugar, three tablespoonsfuls of flour, the yolk of an egg and a pinch of salt, with the milk to make smooth; add to the boiling milk and cook until thick. Beat the white of the egg to a stiff froth, add one tablespoonful of checkerberry essence. Put spoonfuls of the mixture in a pudding dish and pour the cream around it.

SUNLIGHT IS BIG ESSENTIAL.

Provision for Admission of Maximum Amount of Light in Barn Should Not Be Overlooked.

No barns or shelters for any kind of animals should ever be constructed without making ample provision for the admission of the maximum amount of sunlight. Such buildings should have a southern exposure, if possible. This will provide extra warmth in the winter time and the sunlight which is thus permitted to enter the building will destroy many disease germs.

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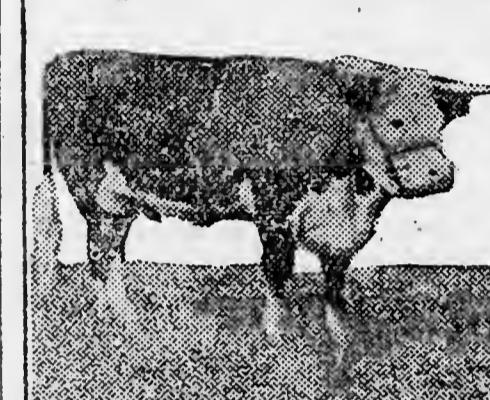
LIVE STOCK

STEER RETARDED IN GROWTH

Stunting an Animal as Result of Insufficient Food May Be Only Temporary Condition.

Live stock products are the result of growth. By far the largest part of increase in animals is the result of growth. The younger the animals the greater the growth impulse. Many factors influence the tendency of an animal to grow. Among these are age, condition, gestation, lactation and the quantity and quality of food. A given amount of food will produce more growth on a young animal than on the same animal at a later age. All the growth factors influence the young animal much more powerfully than older animals.

If an animal's food supply is insufficient for normal growth, the animal may be retarded in growth. If this



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BY OTTO A. ROTHERT

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ORCHARD GLEANINGS

PROTECT YOUNG TREES

Mice and rabbits like tree bark as well as children like candy, and it requires watchfulness to save young trees from being girdled by these little pests.

The rodents are kept away by wrapping trees with wire netting, or even tared binding paper; but paper is not so sure protection from mice. A six-inch mound of earth well packed around the base of the tree will help to turn away mice, and if the snow also is tramped down around the trees the mice will not be so likely to get at them, because they work under the surface as a rule.

PRUNE AND SPRAY ORCHARDS

Neglected Fruit Trees About Most Unprofitable Thing on Farm—Test at Missouri College.

Does orchard pruning and spraying pay? The answer is found in the results of co-operative experiments conducted by the College of Agriculture in 40 Missouri orchards. These experiments extended over a period of three years. They show first, that a neglected orchard is about the most unprofitable thing on the farm; second, that the best managed orchards in Missouri are producing more profit per acre than any other farm crop.

The average return per acre of these 40 orchards during the last three years has been as follows: Properly pruned and sprayed areas, total received, \$175 per acre; net profit, \$143 per acre. Unpruned areas, total received, \$18 per acre; net profit, nothing.

In order to obtain records of the results part of each orchard was allowed to remain in its previous condition—not pruned and not sprayed. The experiments, in view of the results obtained, show conclusively the advantages of renovation.

WAY TO KILL CODLING MOTH

Effective Method of Eradication to Scrape Larvae From Branches During Winter.

All fruit growers that have watched the codling moth at all know that in the fall the full-grown worm, or larva, comes from the wormy apple, seeks a protected place under the rough bark or in the crevices of the trees, spins a cocoon about itself in which it remains inactive during the entire winter, writes George M. List, Colorado Agricultural college. With the coming of the warm days a change begins to take place, and shortly after the blossoms have fallen and the little apples begin to form, the adult moths emerge from the cocoon to begin laying its eggs about the little fruit.

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GAINS MADE FEEDING LAMBS

Result of Test at South Dakota Station to Determine Value of Alfalfa and Prairie Hay.

The best gains ever secured at the South Dakota experiment station in feeding lambs was in an experiment to determine the comparative value of alfalfa and prairie hay with the same kind of a grain ration.

The grain ration consisted of a mixture of 100 pounds of oats, 100 pounds of shelled corn and 25 pounds of oil meal.

Each lot was started on one pound per head of the mixture daily, and increased until they were receiving two and one-tenth pounds per head of grain daily, and what hay they would eat.

The average daily gain per head for the lot that received the alfalfa hay was .51 of a pound, while with the lot that received the prairie hay, the average daily gain per head was .38 of a pound.

DAILY EXERCISE FOR STOCK

Horses and Mules Should Be Given Run for an Hour or So in Lot Adjoining Stables.

Horses and mules should have good daily carding and regular exercise. If there is nothing for them to do remove their shoes and give them a run for an hour or so in a well-fenced lot adjoining the stables.

The best and safest fence for pasture is of stout woven wire, rail or a combination board and smooth wire. Barbed wire should not be used, as it is dangerous.

SUNLIGHT IS BIG ESSENTIAL

Provision for Admission of Maximum Amount of Light in Barn Should Not Be Overlooked.

No barns or shelters for any kind of animals should ever be constructed without making ample provision for the admission of the maximum amount of sunlight. Such buildings should have a southern exposure, if possible.

This will provide extra warmth in the winter time and the sunlight which is thus permitted to enter the building will destroy many disease germs.

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100	125 Louisville Express.....	12:11 pm
102	125 Cincinnati Express.....	1:45 pm
104	104 Louisville Limited.....	3:55 am
105	105 Central City accommodation.....	1:25 pm
103	103 Louisville and parts beyond.....	1:25 pm
106	Stops to discharge revenue passengers from Louisville and parts beyond.....	7:07 pm

May 20, 1917.

W. G. CRAWFORD, ART.

Local Mention.

Many persons are "laid up" with colds now.

School opened Monday, after a two-week holiday vacation.

Sleds have been about the safest method of travel, lately.

The local exemption board is about the busiest bunch of folks to be found anywhere.

The Victrola, with many exclusive features, is supreme. A demonstration convinces. Roark will be glad to meet any test.

If a new broom sweeps clean, old Muhlenberg should glisten, as all our county and city officials are new.

Bought for one, enjoyed by all—that's the Victrola.

Roswell, S. D., claims to be the banner patriotic city of the nation, since every man, woman and child living there has joined the Red Cross.

The vast supply of canned vegetables and fruits have come in mighty handy this winter.

There is a great demand for religious, patriotic and old-time songs, and Roark has the fullest selections to be found in this part of Kentucky.

The days begin to lengthen, but the sun has not begun to strengthen, to any agreeable degree.

There is a stream of travel to this place, a large part of it being occasioned by the calls before the exemption board, for various purposes.

Victor records in abundance at Roark's.

Eastern railroads are leading in the matter of retrenchment as to cancellation of trains, the Pennsylvania lines east of Pittsburgh dispensing with almost 200 passenger trains daily.

Not of "Age," But a Giant.
The Victor Talking Machine Co. is entering its twentieth year, being established in 1898, and has in that period so far surpassed the several concerns already in the field, and the hundreds (more than 300 to be definite) since entering, that now almost half the business of the world is being done by the Victor Co. There are, necessarily, many vital reasons for this wonderful recognition and adoption, and Roark can explain and demonstrate to the complete satisfaction of anyone, and will gladly do so, whether you ever expect to buy or not.

Farmers are doing much planning on the year's work, as fancy returns are assured for all products.

Notwithstanding there is an urgent call for labor, there is a full supply of loafers.

All your dreams will come true if you will put a Victrola in your home.

Some Christmas gifts are just beginning to give service and joy, while others are in the discard.

Mr. Lee Ventress is able to be up and about, after confinement by a fall of a few weeks ago. He is yet suffering somewhat from his injuries but will soon be entirely recovered.

Davenets at less prices and better upholstery at Roark's.

The next draft call for troops is scheduled for February 15.

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The Central City Argus has just moved into its new home, a commodious structure just having been completed. May its usefulness be increased by the new move.

"Cash and carry" shops are growing amazingly, getting the fullest support of the thoughtful, patriotic people. It would be the best thing which ever happened to the nation if we should be put on a spot cash basis.

Rural automobiles are getting a rest.

Statistics just issued by the Bureau of Commerce and Labor show that the musical instrument industry stands eleventh in importance, for 1917; in 1916 it stood thirteenth.

A world of music for an atom of price is what every possessor of a Victrola gets. Suitable, appealing, substantial gifts for weddings, anniversaries, holidays can be had at Roark's.

The weather man sure has a grudge at us.

You are thankful today because you have a Victrola in your home. If you haven't, you'll be thankful every day following the one on which you do secure the varied pleasures and benefits of one of these superb instruments. See Roark about it.

There is a scarcity of calanders this year. The cost has mounted so high that few concerns are using them, and many business houses have not had one from any of their factories and wholesale friends. Almanacs are more in demand than ever before.

Right in your home you can have the greatest concert in the world, for on your Victrola you can command greatest artists, from Abbott to Zimbalist, to sing, play or speak for you. Call at Roark's and arrange for one of these instruments.

Unless the greed of many is broken in the giving being done by millions of our people will not save us from disaster in this war.

Every talking machine in the world is fitted to play Victor records and this recognition of Victor supremacy should be followed by users of other machines. Roark carries in stock more records than all agents in the county combine, and you can hear any record you wish, and visitors are urged.

The story is being told that a clerk who had a customer at Christmas, consuming considerable time when everybody was at top speed, but who failed to buy anything, caused the clerk to go to the cash register and maliciously punch the "no sale" key after the departure of the looker.

Mrs. Hopkins of Lexington arrived Tuesday to conduct a class in standard and surgical dressings so there will probably be no sewing done for a week or perhaps ten days. The knitters are quite busy and are bringing in knitted articles daily but they are urged to do even more so that a box of knitted articles may be shipped by February tenth.

Hear the records by Jascha Heifetz, the wonderful Polish violinist who has set the world aglow by his wonderful genius. He is only 18, and is pronounced by old and new world critics as the greatest artist of the age. Roark has the records he has made, and but one of his offerings has been played by any other artist.

"Who saves his country saves himself, saves all things, and all things saved do bless him." Who lets his country die, dies himself ignobly and all things dying curse him!

There is now a strong demand for religious music, and you are invited to hear "I Need Thee Every Hour," Sung by McDonough and Bieling on the Victrola at Roark's. The author Mrs. Anne Lowry Hawks, aged 83, died the first of the year at her home in Bennington, Vt.

We may feel like complaining about our few inches of snow and near-zero weather, but a large part of the country is snowed under, traffic closed and temperatures from 20 to 50 below.

There is not a talking machine under which will not play Victor records, and Roark has a great supply.

There is a gasoline famine on here no gas being available for several days, and there has been some scrambling to get enough to operate transfer cars and drays.

A "phoney-grift" dealer in a town not a thousand miles away had a card displayed. "These machines at fire break all records." A passer-by who knew of the demerits of the machine observed: "I know they would quickly wear records out by their grabby, gritty grind, but had no thought of it going this far."

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Central Agricultural Board of Control.

The Central Agricultural Board of Control, which is a body of men made up of one representative from each of the Community Clubs of the County and one man from each of the following towns, Greenville, Central City and Drakesboro, will meet on Thursday, January 17th, for the consideration of some very important matters.

This board is the advisor and co-operator of the County Agent and will help at this meeting in the formulation of plans for the work during the coming year and help the County Agent to make his work more effective and reach a larger number of people. Each man who is a member of this board should feel his responsibility in this regard and not fail to attend this meeting not only for the benefit to himself and the community which he represents but also for the benefit of agriculture in the entire county. Every man should render his bit of patriotic service in this great world wide war. So do not fail this part.

Evan C. Graddy
County Agent

The "i c" in Victrola and the "i" in music are the same.

Food Conservation Course Here.

Friday and Saturday, January 11 and 12, Muhlenberg County will be visited by two Demonstrators from Washington, in War Breads and vegetables cooking. State Home Demonstration Agent, Mrs. Heleu B. Wollott, District Home Demonstration Agents and many of the Home Demonstration Agents from other Counties. This is a course in making preparing and cooking the various materials designed to instruct the Home Demonstration Agents and Club Girls, as well as the general public.

All are invited to attend this meeting at Greenville which is an opportunity which will be enjoyed only by a few Counties in the State and all who can possibly do so should make arrangements to attend. Beginning at 9 o'clock in the morning the Demonstration will continue through the days and at all times things of value and material which will save for the home will be actually demonstrated to all that are interested. Do not miss this rare opportunity.

Iris Boggess,
Home Demonstration Agent.

Four Victrolas sold by Roark this week and he begins to count that day lost where he does not sell one—a greater part of the loss being with the party who should have the instrument but does not realize it.

New Officials of County.

Muhlenberg's new officials are now at the helm, taking charge last Monday. Voters made a change in the political complexion, as well as the personnel of its officers, the Republicans again being in the saddle, after a reign of eight years by the Democrats. Following is a list of the officials:

Representative, A. J. McCandless; County Judge, J. Ed. Shaver; County Attorney, T. J. Sparks; County Court Clerk, I. P. Sumner; Sheriff, Arthur Lile; Jailer, S. P. Miller; School Superintendent, V. M. Moseley; Coroner, T. R. Casebier; Assessor, C. W. Cisney; Assessor, Juleon W. Allen.

Severe weather has caused a slow down in all lines, which were already slow enough to worry many of us.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A rolling stone accumulates no dust.

A man's ideal woman is one kind of pipe dream.

Modesty is a principal ingredient in the composition of a truly great man.

The wise man forgets his wisdom when he encounters a silly girl with a dimple.

A woman's curiosity is exceeded only by that of the man who says he has it.

An undertaker is probably so called because he eventually overtakes the rest of mankind.

Some people make an awful fuss about a man's being his own worst enemy—but why should they care.

The trouble with most true stories is that it is easiest to add a few lies to make them interesting.

Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong. —Stephen Decatur.

Do you realize how much this tapering tone-arm means to a talking-machine?

It is the tapering tone-arm of the Victrola—scientifically calculated and constructed to conform to the expanding sound waves created by the sound-box of the Victrola.

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Without this full tapering of the tone-arm, the sound waves lack fulness or roundness; without the perfectly smooth bore, they break up and become harsh and rasping.

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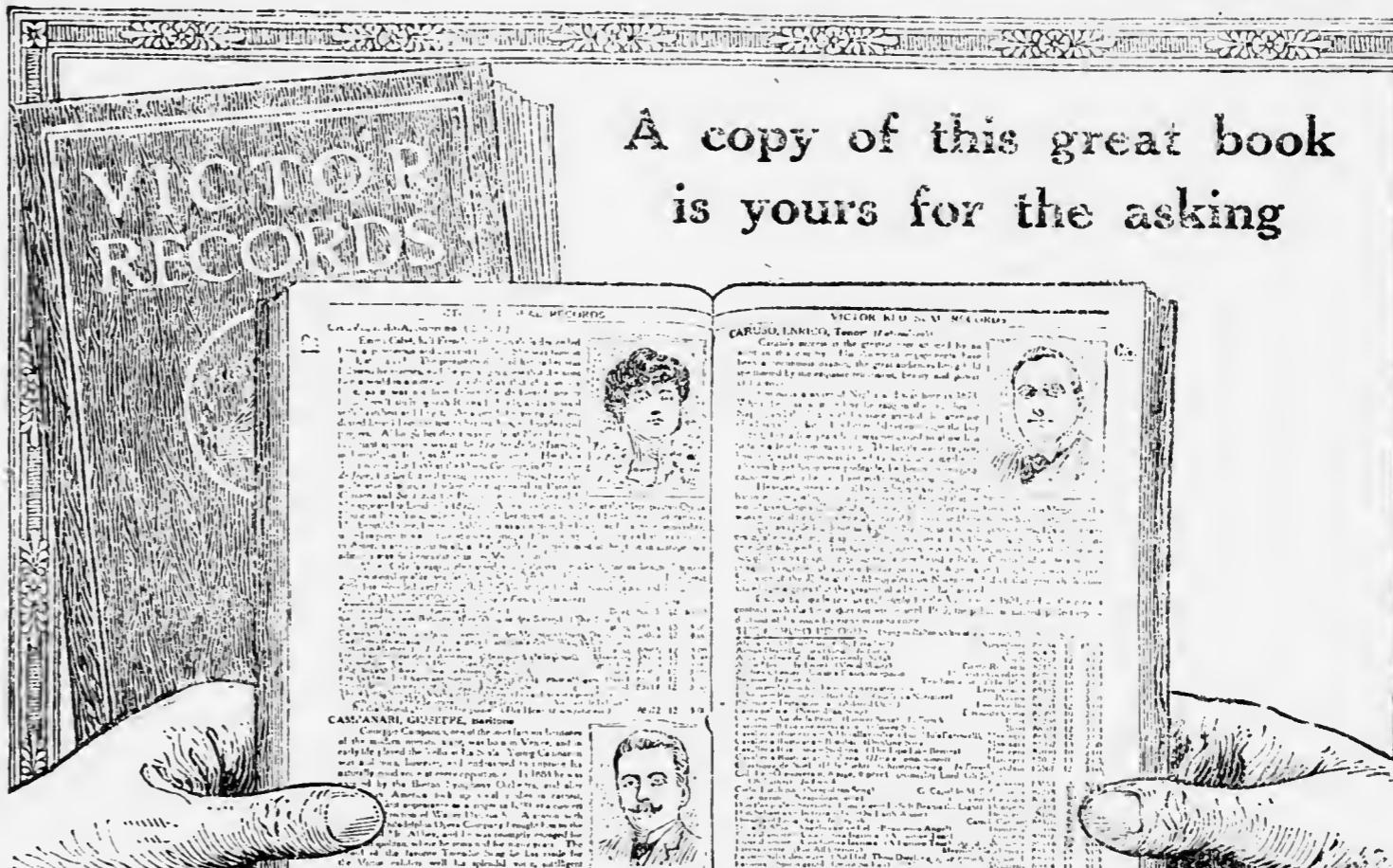
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